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PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 10993.0273

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Akihiro Omori et al.) Group Art Unit: 1797
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Application No.: 10/582,339) Examiner: Marjorie Ellen Christian
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Filed: June 9, 2006)
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For: Porous Formed Article and Method) Confirmation No.: 4988
for Production Thereof)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE

In response to the Restriction Requirement of May 8, 2009, Applicants elect Group I and claims 1-14, 20-31 and 53 for further prosecution in this application.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on non-elected claims 15-19 and 32-52.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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